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REMARKS

Applicant has reviewed the Office Action mailed on October 8, 2003 as well as the art cited. Claims 1-23, 25-32 are pending in this application. Claim 24 has been canceled and claims 25 and 26 have been amended.

Rejections Under 35 U.S.C. § 102

Claims 24 and 26-27 were rejected under 35 USC § 102(e) as being anticipated by Shaheen et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,374,109).

Claim 24

Claim 24 has been canceled.

Claim 26

Claim 26 has been amended to depend from patentably distinct Claim 25 (Claim 25 was objected to as depending on a rejected base claim but is herein amended to include the respective base claim). Accordingly, the Applicant respectfully requests the withdrawal of the rejection of Claim 26 under 35 USC § 102(e).

Claim 27

Pursuant to the amendments of this response, Claim 27 now depends from patentably distinct Claim 25. Accordingly, the Applicant respectfully requests the withdrawal of the rejection of Claim 27 under 35 USC § 102(e).

Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the indication that claims 1-23 and 28-32 are allowable.

Claim 25 was objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but was indicated to be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the

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base claim and any intervening claims. Claim 25 has been amended accordingly. Therefore, withdrawal of this objection is respectfully requested.

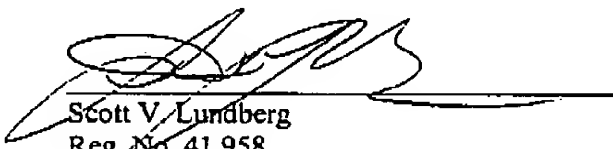
CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully submits that claims 1-23 and 25-32 are in condition for allowance and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayments to Deposit Account No. 502432.

If the Examiner has any questions or concerns regarding this application, please contact the undersigned at (612) 332-4720.

Respectfully submitted,

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